

Coeur d'Alene GA Workgroup Meeting Notes
Snake Pit Restaurant in Enaville, ID
11/20/03

Attendance: Facilitator – Maggie Pittman. Forest Service – Joe Stringer, Linda McFaddan and Carolyn Upton. Public – Joe Close, Roger Oestmann, Mike Reynolds, Priscilla Reynolds, Don Reynolds, Don Capparelli, Robin Stanley, Larry Yertler, Gary Stanley, Bob Lowe, Don Rower, Rudy Carlson, Al Beauchene, David Clark, Tom Crimmins, David Vig, Bill White, Barb White, Richard Lambert, Alberta Lambert, Bill Alesander, Wendel Little, Twila Little, Norman little, Terri Matthews, John Knapp, Larry Jennings, Michale Millward, Carl Ritchie, Duane Adams, Bob Finlay, Glen Nickerson, Keith Jutila, and Diane Jutila.

Carolyn Upton explained: 1) Forest-wide Goals and Objectives that the revision team is working on, 2) Forest Plan Revision process, and 3) Analysis of the Management Situation document.

Discussion:

- The workgroup reviewed the GA map packet and were especially interested in the wildlife area. The only map for CDA is lynx and that (lack of any other wildlife information) was not well received by the group - as the rest of the species said "not yet available" or something like that.
- Concern was expressed about Roadless Areas being a revision topic.
- Workgroup is also interested in more information on IRAs, Wilderness, Wildfires, Logging, Mining, Trail systems open all year long, mountain access versus seasonal closures, vegetation, wildlife, and motorized classification.

Decisions and Needs for next meeting:

- The next meeting for the CDA is Dec 4th. The group asked for a facilitator. They liked the one we had last week.
- The topic for the next meeting will be Desired Condition with a focus on wildlife. Joe Stringer will call Fish and Game (Chip Coursey) to see if they can come to the next meeting. The group is very interested in elk management and why roads are closed for elk security.
- A letter needs to go out to the CDA workgroup regarding the next meeting.
- We need maps of whatever other wildlife coverages are available for the Dec. 4th meeting. The group would like to look at elk, deer, wolverine/fisher (carnivores?) or anything else that is available.